

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Mount Barker

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Yarding Change 1204
-180

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There were 1,204 head yarded and mainly good quality cattle were presented. Yearlings dominated the yarding and remained firm on quality to last week's prices but grown cattle eased. Bullocks sold for 213c/kg. Heavy grown steers sold from 220c to 249c, to average 229c/kg. Heavy grown heifers sold from 190c to 202c, to average 202c/kg.

Vealer steers made 270c to 318c, while the vealer heifers sold for 231c to 273c/kg. Heavy yearling steers made 220c to 316c, to average 284c/kg. Medium weights made from 274c to 330c to average 296c/kg. The lightweights sold for 308c/kg. Heavyweight yearling heifers made 210c to 291c, to average 262c, while medium weights made 260c to 286c, averaging 269c/kg.

Cow prices remained firm to 15c/kg easier on last week's prices. Lightweight store cows made 160c to 166c/kg. Heavier prime cows made 166c to 206c to average 185c, while medium weights sold for 161c to 211c/kg. Heavy bulls made 160c to 210c, to average 194c and lightweight bulls sold from 168c to 240c to average 210c/kg.

The 7 Angus cows with calves at foot sold for \$1,660, while the Murray Grey cows and calves made \$1,640/unit.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head		
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg
Vealer Steer														
200-280	FD	C	2	4	270.0	- 270.0	270.0	N/Q	-	-	-	656	- 656	656
	RS	C	2	9	246.0	- 268.0	260.7	-81	-	-	-	554	- 697	649
280-330	FD	C	2	27	299.0	- 318.0	307.6	N/Q	-	-	-	867	- 1027	980
	FD	C	3	13	309.0	- 318.0	317.3	N/Q	-	-	-	958	- 1034	1028
330+	FD	C	3	36	280.0	- 318.0	300.0	N/Q	-	-	-	960	- 1176	1100
	RS	C	3	32	287.0	- 318.0	301.5	N/Q	-	-	-	996	- 1053	1022
					121	246.0	318.0		0	0		554	1176	
Vealer Heifer														
200-280	RS	C	2	11	200.0	- 208.0	203.6	N/Q	-	-	-	478	- 520	491
280-330	FD	C	2	3	273.0	- 273.0	273.0	N/Q	-	-	-	838	- 838	838
330+	FD	C	3	2	231.0	- 231.0	231.0	N/Q	-	-	-	809	- 809	809
					16	200.0	273.0		0	0		478	838	
Yearling Steer														
200-280	RS	C	2	7	308.0	- 308.0	308.0	-26	-	-	-	850	- 850	850
280-330	RS	C	2	53	285.0	- 330.0	317.3	-3	-	-	-	918	- 999	967
	FD	C	2	5	274.0	- 274.0	274.0	-31	-	-	-	789	- 789	789
330-400	FD	C	2	84	280.0	- 316.0	305.7	23	-	-	-	1068	- 1170	1124
	RS	C	2	11	290.0	- 300.0	296.4	N/Q	-	-	-	1047	- 1059	1055
	FD	C	3	48	281.0	- 308.0	294.7	16	-	-	-	1059	- 1167	1129
	RS	C	3	31	315.0	- 316.0	315.5	8	-	-	-	1059	- 1131	1098
		C	3	6	282.0	- 282.0	282.0	N/Q	513	- 513	513	1111	- 1111	1111
400+	FD	C	2	9	280.0	- 280.0	280.0	N/Q	-	-	-	1142	- 1142	1142
	FD	C	3	38	260.0	- 287.0	278.5	-23	-	-	-	1107	- 1262	1213
	FD	D	2	3	220.0	- 220.0	220.0	N/Q	-	-	-	891	- 891	891
					295	220.0	330.0		513	513		789	1262	
Yearling Heifer														

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280-330	FD	C	2	14	264.0	- 286.0	276.6	-5	-			755	- 884	829
	FD	C	3	7	269.0	- 269.0	269.0	-1	-			872	- 872	872
		C	3	6	260.0	- 260.0	260.0	N/Q	473	- 473	473	783	- 783	783
330-400		C	3	5	260.0	- 271.0	268.8	-5	464	- 493	487	1040	- 1060	1056
	FD	C	3	104	275.0	- 291.0	283.1	28	-			920	- 1074	1022
	RS	C	3	32	277.0	- 284.0	280.0	7	-			965	- 1048	1012
400+	FD	C	2	2	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	-			920	- 920	920
	FD	C	3	30	249.0	- 274.0	262.7	36	-			1018	- 1173	1081
		C	3	44	230.0	- 271.0	263.6	22	411	- 493	471	1084	- 1192	1143
	RS	C	3	21	260.0	- 270.0	266.2	N/Q	-			1076	- 1091	1085
				265	210.0	291.0			411	493		755	1192	
Grown Steer														
0-400	RS	C	2	15	306.0	- 306.0	306.0	N/Q	-			1135	- 1135	1135
	FD	C	3	17	275.0	- 295.0	292.6	N/Q	-			1095	- 1153	1147
400-500	FD	C	3	188	240.0	- 293.0	282.7	20	-			1159	- 1326	1227
		C	3	8	259.0	- 259.0	259.0	11	454	- 454	454	1199	- 1199	1199
500-600		C	3	21	220.0	- 249.0	229.2	-11	393	- 438	408	1201	- 1370	1284
600-750		C	3	1	213.0	- 213.0	213.0	N/Q	380	- 380	380	1406	- 1406	1406
750+		C	3	2	189.0	- 189.0	189.0	N/Q	338	- 338	338	1436	- 1436	1436
				252	189.0	306.0			338	454		1095	1436	
Grown Heifer														
0-540		C	3	8	230.0	- 258.0	254.5	18	411	- 461	455	1104	- 1133	1129
	FD	C	3	3	249.0	- 249.0	249.0	1	-			1178	- 1178	1178
	RS	C	3	5	202.0	- 202.0	202.0	-60	-			1002	- 1002	1002
540+		C	3	14	190.0	- 210.0	205.0	10	339	- 375	366	1131	- 1331	1228
				30	190.0	258.0			339	461		1002	1331	
Cows														
400-520	RS	D	2	6	181.0	- 181.0	181.0	N/Q	-			825	- 825	825
		D	2	4	172.0	- 172.0	172.0	N/Q	344	- 344	344	776	- 776	776
	RS	D	3	11	161.0	- 211.0	192.8	N/Q	-			739	- 1066	947
		D	3	10	172.0	- 180.0	177.1	-11	319	- 332	326	828	- 851	846
520+		C	3	3	189.0	- 190.0	189.3	N/Q	350	- 352	351	1162	- 1245	1190
		D	2	6	163.0	- 163.0	163.0	N/Q	326	- 326	326	897	- 897	897
	RS	D	2	4	160.0	- 166.0	164.5	N/Q	-			880	- 1016	914
	RS	D	3	13	164.0	- 206.0	193.3	5	-			932	- 1185	1097
		D	3	48	166.0	- 186.0	176.2	-23	304	- 358	329	927	- 1251	1071
		D	4	31	140.0	- 191.0	176.5	9	250	- 341	315	1038	- 1429	1269
				136	140.0	211.0			250	358		739	1429	
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	2	168.0	- 170.0	169.0	N/Q	-			655	- 740	697
	FD	C	3	5	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	-12	-			814	- 814	814
	RS	C	3	4	240.0	- 240.0	240.0	N/Q	-			600	- 600	600
		C	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	404	- 404	404	809	- 809	809
450-600	RS	C	2	2	178.0	- 201.0	189.5	N/Q	-			819	- 995	907
600+		B	3	1	210.0	- 210.0	210.0	N/Q	368	- 368	368	1628	- 1628	1628

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		C	2	2	160.0	- 190.0	175.0	N/Q	291	- 346	318	1096	- 1444	1270
		C	3	5	180.0	- 209.0	197.2	18	327	- 380	356	1296	- 1998	1758
			22		160.0	240.0			291	404		600	1998	

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross
FD: Feeder DP: Dorper

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